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**NOTIFICATIONS BY HEADS OF DEPARTMENTS Etc.,**

**COLLECTOR & DISTRICT MAGISTRATE,  
GUNTUR.**

**Rc.No.29/2023/C4(Computer.No. 345359/2015/C4)**

**Dated: 13-04-2023**

CASTE STATUS VERIFICATION - GUNTUR DISTRICT - ENQUIRY AND VERIFICATION OF CASTE STATUS OF Sri VINCCE BN LOT KURAGUNTALA @ ANIL KUMAR KURAGUNTALA - DLSC RECOMMENDATIONS SUBMITTED TO THE DISTRICT COLLECTOR- CONSIDERED.

Ref: 1. Rc.No.2733/2022-B, dt. 19.09.2022 of the Revenue Divisional Officer, Guntur.

2. Notice in Form.No.V issued to Sri Vincce Bn Lot Kuraguntla @ Anil Kumar Kuraguntla.

3. Written Statement dt. 17.03.2023 of Vincce Bn Lot Kuraguntla @ Anil Kumar Kuraguntla.

4. Findings of the District Level Scrutiny Committee dt.27.03.2023.

**ORDER:-**

On the requisition of SHO, Kakumanu on the issue of caste certificate to Sri Kuragutla Vincce Anil @Anil Kumar the Tahsildar, Guntur East reported that the caste of the individual entered as "SC-Mala" in his 10<sup>th</sup> class Transfer Certificate and was entered as "Indian Christian Mala(BC-C)" in his Intermediate and B.Com Degree Transfer Certificate and all his family members are following Christian tradition and culture, hence the caste of the individual could not be confirmed at enquiry level, hence requested to place the matter before the DLSC for confirming the caste of the individual upon which the RDO, Guntur submitted report recommending to place the matter before the DLSC for deciding the caste status.

As per the instructions dt. 20.02.2023 of the Collector & District Magistrate, Guntur the matter was referred to the DLSC for finalization of caste status of Sri Kuragutla Vincce Anil @Anil Kumar.

Notice dt.15.03.2023 was issued to the respondent to attend before the DLSC on 17.03.2023 and the respondent was present before the District Level Scrutiny Committee and adduced evidence as follows:

1. He stated that his name is Vincce Bn Lot Kuraguntla & Anil, he is aged about 46 years, his father's name is Sri John Sundar Kuraguntla and his mother name is Smt Lalitha Choppara. They belong to Indian Christian.
2. His original name is Kuraguntla Anil Kumar, as his parents and himself follow Christian religion, he changed his name as Vincce Bn Lot Kuraguntla as per Gazette Notification No.219, dt.05.12.2012.
3. He studied upto MCA degree (PG). His caste is entered as Christian Mala in his elementary school record and the college record, but his caste was erroneously entered as Hindu Mala in his high school record.
4. In fact he along with his parents following Christian religion, hence he obtained caste certificate dt.16.07.1996 from the then Mandal Revenue Officer, Guntur as belonging to Christian Mala (BC-C).
5. His father Kuraguntla John Sundar worked as Head of the Department (HOD) in Physiology Department in Government Medical college and retired from the service in the year 2021, his caste is entered as Indian Christian in his Service Book and his Academic record.
6. His mother Smt Choppara Lalitha worked as staff nurse and retired as nursing superintendent, GGH, Guntur approximately about 7 years back, her caste is also entered as Indian Christian Madiga in her Service Book and also in her Academic record.

7. He has one younger sister by name Anitha who did her M.S in U.S.A, married and settled in U.S.A as American citizen.
8. All their family members profess Christianity from the beginning till now.
9. He completed his MCA in April 2005 in Madhurai University, he worked as software Engineer till recently.
10. His marriage was performed with Cherukuri Sudharani, R/o Kakumanu Mandal on 28.02.2022 at Kolphig Community Center, Vasantharayapuram of Guntur town as per Christian culture and tradition by pastor Sunil and Raju of Guntur town.
11. The name of father of Cherukuri Sudharani whom he married is Cherukuri Joseph and the name of her mother is Cherukuri Manikyam.
12. At the time of his marriage his in-laws made them to believe that they are professing Christian religion and they are Christians, believing their version, his parents arranged his marriage with Cherukuri Sudharani.
13. Their marriage video and photos reveal that their marriage was performed as per Christian tradition by the church pastor.
14. His wife Cherukuri Sudharani stayed in their house for about 2 weeks in the moth of March 2022 and left their house on 21.03.2022, thereafter she started demanding for payment of Rs.50,00,000 to her and stayed back with their parents and also made a false allegation against him and his parents that they harassed her and demanded additional dowry.
15. She also made an allegation that he is an impotent, later she filed a complaint with the SHO, Kakumanu on 11.06.2022 invoking Sec.498 (A) IPC, etc, later she also filed a complaint under provisions of SC,ST (POA) Act even though she belongs to Christian religion and her entire family are professing Christianity and following Christianity.
16. She and her parents also made them believe that they are Christians at the time of their marriage and their marriage was performed as per Christian tradition.

He filed the following documents:

1. Wedding Card.
2. Marriage Certificate.
3. Marriage photos.
4. School T.C, College T.C, Caste Certificate.
5. A.P Gazette No.219, dt.05.12.2012 (Declaration of Change of name)



The District Level Scrutiny Committee after due examination of the enquiry report of the Revenue Divisional Officer, Guntur and the documents produced by the individual and his own statement that he belongs to Christian, came to the following conclusion:

1. He and his family members are following Christianity.
2. Got married in Christian tradition.
3. How SC-Mala caste was entered in 10th class TC not known but it was clearly mentioned as “Indian Christian Mala (BC-C)” in TCs of Intermediate and Degree.
4. Confirmed he is following Christian traditions, faith and beliefs.

The DLSC examined the enquiry report of the RDO, Guntur and the Statement and documentary evidences produced by the individual and came to a conclusion that Sri Kuragutla Vincce Bn Lot @Anil Kumar Kuraguntla, the respondent belong to “Indian Christian (BC-C)”.

Agreeing with the recommendations of the DLSC

In view of the above, I, M.Venu Gopal Reddy, I.A.S., the Collector & District Magistrate, Guntur in exercise of the powers conferred U/s.5(1) of the A.P.(SC., ST., & B.C.) Regulation of Issue of Community Certificate Act 16 of 1993, read with rule 9(7) of A.P.(S.C., S.T. & B.C.) Issue of Community, Nativity & Date of Birth Certificate Rules 1977, communicated vide G.O.Ms.No.58, Social Welfare (J) Dept., dt.12.5.1997 and G.O.Ms.No.371, dt.13.4.1996, hereby confirm that Sri Vincce Bn Lot Kuraguntla @ Anil Kumar Kuraguntla belongs to Indian Christian Mala (BC-C).

A notification to this effect shall be published in the A.P.State Gazette.

An appeal against this order lies to the Government within 30 days from the date of publication of this order in the AP State Gazette.

**M. VENU GOPAL REDDY,**  
*Collector & District Magistrate,*  
*Guntur.*

To

Sri Vincce Bn Lot Kuraguntla @ Anil Kumar Kuraguntla,  
S/o John Sundar, D.No.7-19-160/82, 5/4 Lane,  
Mallikarjunapeta, Guntur.

The S.H.O, Kakumanu

**NOTIFICATION**

In view of the recommendations of the District Level Scrutiny Committee and in exercise of powers conferred under section 5 (1) of the A.P. (SC, ST & BCs) Regulation of Issue of community certificates Act 16 of 1993 r/w Sub-Rule (7) of Rule 9 of A.P. (SC, ST & BCs) issue of Community, Nativity and Date of Birth Certificate Rules, 1997 communicated vide G.O.Ms.No.58, Social Welfare (J) Department, Dt: 12-5-1997, I, M.Venu Gopal Reddy, I.A.S., Collector and District Magistrate, Guntur do hereby confirm that Sri Vincce Bn Lot Kuraguntla @ Anil Kumar Kuraguntla belongs to Indian Christian Mala (BC-C).

**M. VENU GOPAL REDDY,**  
*Collector & District Magistrate,*  
*Guntur.*

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